

amend title I of the Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights Act of 2000 to provide for grants and technical assistance to improve services rendered to children and adults with autism, and their families, and to expand the number of University Centers for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities Education, Research, and Service;

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Emergency Medic Transition Act of 2010: H.R. 3199, amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide grants to State emergency medical service departments to provide for the expedited training and licensing of veterans with prior medical training;

Pages H6839–42

Family Health Care Accessibility Act of 2010: H.R. 1745, amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide liability protections for volunteer practitioners at health centers under section 330 of such Act; and

Pages H6848–50

National All Schedules Prescription Electronic Reporting Reauthorization Act of 2010: H.R. 5710, amended, to amend and reauthorize the controlled substance monitoring program under section 399O of the Public Health Service Act.

Pages H6850–52

Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on pages H6811–12 and H6814.

Senate Referrals: S. 624 was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs; S. 3814 and S. 3717 were held at the desk.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H6857 and H6858. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 9:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DISTANCE LEARNING FOR-PROFIT COLLEGE TUITION ASSISTANCE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on A Question of Quality and Value: Department of Defense Oversight of Tuition Assistance Used for Distance Learning and For-Profit Colleges. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Robert L. Gordon III, Deputy Under Secretary, Military Community and Family Policy, Office of the Under Secretary, (Personal and Readiness); Anthony Stamillo, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Civilian Personnel and Quality of Life, U.S. Army;

Timothy R. Larsen, Director, Personal and Family Readiness Division, Manpower and Reserve Affairs Department, U.S. Marine Corps; Scott Lutterloh, Director, Total Force Training and Education Division, U.S. Navy; and Dan Sitterly, Director, Force Development, Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower and Personnel, U.S. Air Force.

PERKINS COLLEGE LOANS

Committee on the Budget: Held a hearing on Budgeting for Education: The Role of Perkins Loans. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MEDICARE/MEDICAID WASTE, FRAUD AND ABUSE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing entitled “Cutting Waste, Fraud, and Abuse in Medicare and Medicaid.” Testimony was heard from Representatives Roskam and Klein of Florida; and the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services: Daniel Levinson, Inspector General; Peter Budetti, M.D. Deputy Administrator, Program Integrity, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

EGG RECALL—SALMONELLA OUTBREAK

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled “The Outbreak of Salmonella in Eggs.” Testimony was heard from Joshua M. Sharfstein, Principal Deputy Commissioner, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; Austin DeCoster, Owner, Wright County Egg; and Orland Bethel, President, Hillandale Farms of Iowa.

FHA LOAN REFORMS

Committee on Financial Services: Held a hearing entitled “Implementation of Higher FHA Loan Fees and Pending Legislative Proposals to Strengthen the FHA MMIF Fund and Improve Lender Oversight.” Testimony was heard from David H. Stevens, Assistant Secretary, Housing and Commissioner of the Federal Housing Administration, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL SYSTEM STATE

Committee on Financial Services: Held a hearing on the State of the International Financial System, Including International Regulatory Issues Relevant to the Implementation of the Dodd-Frank Act. Testimony was heard from Timothy F. Geithner, Secretary of the Treasury.

**SOUTH PACIFIC TUNA TREATY
RENEGOTIATION; HUMAN RIGHTS ABUSES**

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee Asia, The Pacific and the Global Environment, hearing on Renegotiating the South Pacific Tuna Treaty: Shutting Down Closing Loopholes and Protecting U.S. Interests. Testimony was heard from William Gibbons-Fly, Director, Office of Marine Conservation, Bureau of Oceans and International Environment and Scientific Affairs, Department of State; and Russell Smith III, Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Fisheries, NOAA, Department of Commerce.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Crimes Against Humanity: When Will Indonesia's Military Be Held Accountable for Deliberate and Systematic Abuses in West Papua? Testimony was heard from Joseph Y. Yun, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Bureau of East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; Robert Scher, Deputy Assistant Secretary, South and Southeast Asia Asian and Pacific Security Affairs, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

OIL SPILL PLANNING AND RESPONSE

Committee on Homeland Security: Held a hearing entitled "DHS Planning and Response: Preliminary Lessons from Deepwater Horizon." Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Homeland Security: Richard M. Chavez, Acting Director, Operations Coordination and Planning; and Richard L. Skinner, Inspector General; William O. Jenkins, Jr., Director, Homeland Security and Justice Issues, GAO; RADM Peter Neffenger, USCG, Deputy National Incident Commander, Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill Response; Craig Paul Taffaro, Jr., President, St. Bernard Parish, State of Louisiana; and a public witness.

**HOLOCAUST INSURANCE
ACCOUNTABILITY ACT OF 2010**

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law held a hearing on H.R. 4596, Holocaust Insurance Accountability Act of 2010. Testimony was heard from Representative Schiff, Ros-Lehtinen, and Garamendi; Ambassador Stuart Eizenstat, Special Advisor to the Secretary for Holocaust Issues, Office of Holocaust Issues, Department of State; Anna Rubin, Director, Holocaust Claims Processing Office, Banking Department, New York State; and public witnesses.

MINORITY CONTRACTING

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Subcommittee on Government Management, Organization, and Procurement held a hearing entitled "Minority Contracting: Opportunities and Challenges for Current and Future Minority-Owned Businesses," in-

cluding a discussion of H.R. 4343, Minority Business Development Improvements Act of 2009. Testimony was heard from Representative Rush; David Hinson, Director, Minority Business Development Agency, Department of Commerce; Marie C. Johns, Deputy Administrator, SBA; Jiyoung Park, Associate Administrator, Small Business Utilization, GSA; Linda Oliver, Acting Director, Office of Small Business Programs, Department of Defense; Brandon Neal, Director, Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization, Department of Transportation; and public witnesses..

U.S. MANUFACTURING POLICY

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform: Subcommittee on National Security and Foreign Affairs held a hearing entitled "Made in the USA: Manufacturing Policy, the Defense Industrial Base, and U.S. National Security." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

**THE SMALL BUSINESS JOBS AND CREDIT
ACT**

The Committee on Rules: Granted, by a non-record vote, a rule for consideration of the Senate amendment to H.R. 5297, the "Small Business Jobs and Credit Act of 2010." The rule makes in order a motion offered by the chair of the Committee on Financial Services that the House concur in the Senate amendment to H.R. 5297. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the motion. The rule provides that the Senate amendment and the motion shall be considered as read. The rule provides one hour of debate on the motion equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Financial Services, the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Small Business, and the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means. The rule authorizes the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules at any time through the legislative day of October 1, 2010. The rule also provides that the Speaker or her designee shall consult with the Minority Leader or his designee on the designation of any matter for consideration under suspension of the rules pursuant to the resolution. The rule waives clause 6(a) of rule XIII (requiring a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee) against any resolution reported from the Rules Committee through the legislative day of October 1, 2010. Testimony was heard from Chairman Frank of Massachusetts and Representative Neugebauer.

AIRPORT RESIDENTIAL THROUGH-THE-FENCE AGREEMENTS

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Held a hearing on Residential Through-the-Fence Agreements at Public Airports: Action to Date and Challenges Ahead. Testimony was heard from Representative Schrader; Catherine M. Lang, Acting Associate Administrator, Office of Airports, Department of Transportation; Carol L. Comer, Aviation Programs Manager, Department of Transportation, State of Georgia; Mitch Swecker, State Airports Manager, Department of Aviation, State of Oregon; and public witnesses.

LESSONS FROM KATRINA

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management held a hearing on Five Years after Katrina: Where We Are and What We Have Learned for Future Disasters. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Homeland Security: Matt Jadacki, Assistant Inspector General, Emergency Management Oversight; and Tony Russell, Region VI Administrator, FEMA; Mike Womack, Executive Director, Emergency Management Agency, State of Mississippi; Francis McCarthy, Federalism, Federal Elections and Emergency Management Section, CRS, Library of Congress; and public witnesses.

NATIONAL COUNTERTERRORISM CENTER—ANALYTICAL EFFORTS

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations met in executive session to receive a briefing on Analytical Efforts at the National Counterterrorism Center. The Subcommittee was briefed by departmental witnesses.

GLOBAL CLEAN ENERGY RACE

Select Committee on Energy Independence and Global Warming: Held a hearing entitled “The Global Clean Energy Race.” Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2010

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: To hold hearings to examine the Federal Housing Administration, focusing on current condition and future challenges, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: To hold hearings to examine the need for a nationwide public safety network, 10:15 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: To hold hearings to examine the Department of Energy’s Loan Guarantee Program and its effectiveness in spurring the near-term deployment of clean energy technology, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Finance: To hold hearings to examine tax reform, focusing on lessons from the Tax Reform Act of 1986, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: To hold hearings to examine the nomination of Cameron Munter, of California, to be Ambassador to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, Department of State, 9:45 a.m., SD-419.

Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs, to hold hearings to examine challenges to water and security in Southeast Asia, 2 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Business meeting to consider S. 3751, to amend the Stem Cell Therapeutic and Research Act of 2005, and the nominations of Subra Suresh, of Massachusetts, to be Director of the National Science Foundation, Mary Minow, of California, to be a Member of the National Museum and Library Services Board, Julie Reiskin, of Colorado, Joseph Pietrzyk, of Ohio, and Harry Korrell III, of Washington, all to be a Member of the Legal Services Corporation Board, and Pamela Young-Holmes, of Wisconsin, to be a member of the National Council on Disabilities, subcommittee assignments, and any pending calendar business, Time to be announced, S-216, Capitol.

Committee on the Judiciary: Business meeting to consider S. 3675, to amend chapter 11 of title 11, United States Code, to address reorganization of small businesses, S. 2888, to amend section 205 of title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualifying law school students participating in legal clinics from the application of the general conflict of interest rules under such section, S. 3767, to establish appropriate criminal penalties for certain knowing violations relating to food that is misbranded or adulterated, S. 3804, to combat online infringement, and the nominations of Kathleen M. O’Malley, of Ohio, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Federal Circuit, Beryl Elaine Howell, and Robert Leon Wilkins, both to be United States District Judge for the District of Columbia, Edward Milton Chen, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, Louis B. Butler, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Wisconsin, John J. McConnell, Jr., to be